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ORDINANCE NO. 25-19

BY: **DEBORAH LIME**(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO ACCEPT NORTHEAST OHIO PUBLIC ENERGY COUNCIL (NOPEC) 2019 ENERGIZED COMMUNITY GRANT(S) FUNDS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City of Parma, Ohio (the "GRANTEE") is a member of the Northeast Ohio Public Energy Council ("NOPEC") and is eligible for one or more NOPEC Energized Community Grant(s) for 2019 ("NEC Grant(s)") as provided for in the NEC Grant Program guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the GRANTEE has previously entered into a Grant Agreement with NOPEC, Inc. on March 12, 2018 to receive one or more NEC Grant(s).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. This Council of the GRANTEE (the "Council") finds and determines that it is in the best interest of the GRANTEE to accept the NEC Grant(s) for 2019, and authorizes the Mayor to accept the NEC Grant(s) funds.

Section 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary in order to submit the grant paperwork in a timely manner, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:	
	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
ATTEST:	APPROVED:
CLERK OF COUNCIL	
FILED WITH THE MAYOR:	
	MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO